



TOWN OF CONCORD

Town Manager's Report

Week of: January 7th, 2018

Town Manager Search Committee

After an RFP process, the Select Board selected Municipal Resources, Inc. (MRI) to assist the Town in conducting an executive search process.

Please join us at one of our upcoming public forums to share your thoughts on the personal attributes and professional skill-sets you think are important for Concord's next town manager. We would also like to hear about any challenges, particularly those not already identified in the Town's "Envision Concord- Bridge to 2030" report that you believe will be important for the new town manager to address.

Public Forums:

Tuesday, January 15 at 7 p.m. in the Town House Hearing Room

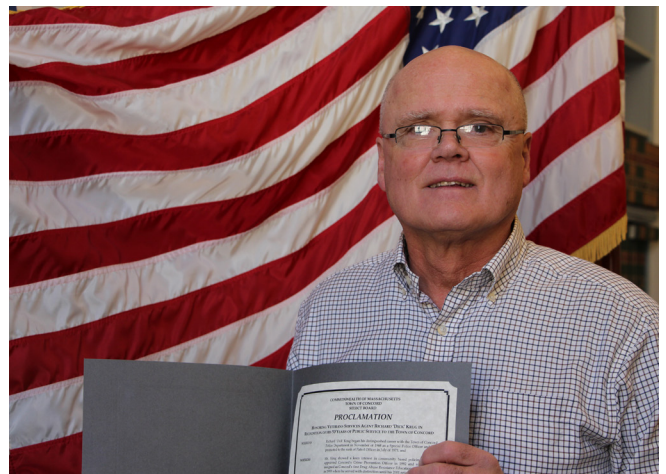
Wednesday, January 16 at 8 a.m. in the Conference Room at 55 Church Street

Wednesday, January 16 at 1 p.m. in the Common Room at Harvey Wheeler Community Center

For continuing information, please visit concordma.gov/TMSearch

50 Years with the Town of Concord

The Town's Veterans Services Officer, Richard 'Dick' Krug, has recently celebrated 50 years with the Town. This accomplishment came with an official Proclamation from the Concord Select Board on November 19th, 2018. Mr. Krug began his Concord career with the Concord Police Department in 1968; his interest in community based policing led him through a variety of positions within the Police Department eventually serving as Concord's first Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) Officer. We thank him for his continued service to the Town of Concord.



Town Report Photo Contest

Do you love photography or just love Concord? Help us celebrate 2018 by submitting photos to the Town Report Cover Photo Contest! The winner will have their photo featured on the cover of the 2018 Town Report and the Town of Concord's Facebook page (@TownOfConcord-MA).

Photos are due by January 18th at 5:00PM and can be sent to publicinfo@concordma.gov. The winning photo will be chosen by a selection committee and announced once finalized.



Citizen's Caucus

Concord's 2019 Town Caucus will be held on Monday, January 28, 2019 at 7:30 pm at the Town House in Monument Square. In the event of snow, the Caucus will be held on the following evening, January 29, at the same time and place (call 978-318-3080 to confirm snow cancellation). The purpose of the Caucus is to nominate candidates for each office to be filled at the Town Election on March 26, 2019. For a candidate's name to appear on the ballot, the individual must either be nominated at the Caucus or have filed nomination papers with the Town Clerk by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, February 5, 2019.

The Caucus can nominate up to two individuals for each position opening, and these names will automatically be placed on the ballot. The offices to be filled this year are:

- One Town Moderator – one-year term
- Two Members of the Select Board – three-year terms
- Two Members of the School Committee – three-year terms
- One Member Concord Housing Authority – five-year term
- One Member Concord Housing Authority (vacancy) – three-year term

All registered voters are eligible to attend and participate in the Caucus. For voter registration information contact the Town Clerk's Office, or check your status and register to vote online at <https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ovr/>. All terms of office begin at Noon on the day following the adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting, which is estimated this year to be at Noon on either April 11 or 12, 2019.

BEED CENTER
swim + fitness

FAMILY DAY

Sunday January 13th 9am-3pm

Welcome to the Beede Swim and Fitness Center.

This FREE event is open to all families interested in experiencing the Beede Center and no advance sign up required. We will feature four pools for all ages including a children pool with play features. Two fitness rooms available to ages 14+. The day will include swim testing, facility tours, information on youth swim lessons and "The Rock". The new fitness studio will be set up as a birthday party rental site with light refreshments and free sport bags.



- Improved well-being and enhanced quality of life
- Multifaceted training: aquatics, fitness rooms, yoga, pilates, and more
- Free equipment orientation and workout plan from one of our certified trainers
- Personal training staff with flexibility to meet your needs
- Up to 40% off all aquatics and group exercise classes
- Unique Therapy Pool for warm water fitness routines
- 8 Lane Competition Pool, Children's Play Pool, and Deep Water Diving Well
- New Studio area for personal training and independent use
- FAMILY, FITNESS AND FUN

Hours Of Operation:
Monday Thru Friday 5:30am – 9:00pm
Saturday And Sunday 7:00am – 6:00pm

498 Walden Street
Concord, MA 01742
978-287-1000
beedecenter.com

The Beede Swim & Fitness Center is managed by the Concord Recreation Department and is funded solely by membership and program fees. We are deeply committed to serving the fitness needs and interests of our community, across all ages and abilities.

**CONCORD
RECREATION**

Holiday Gift Drive

The 2018 holiday season was very bright thanks to the generosity of many Concord town employees and residents who donated gifts to their neighbors in need.

Several thousand dollars of toys, gifts, and gift cards were donated through the Concord-Carlisle Community Chest and Community Services Gift Drive. Over 75 children benefitted from these very generous donations.

Concord's Corinthian Lodge donated \$5,000 in gift cards through their Masonic Angel Fund. Many thanks to all who so generously donated!